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New jobs for New Year

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NEW Year jobs are being created in Dorchester with the opening of a new eatery and a new window showroom.

The Georgie Porgie Pie and Burger Company has taken over the former Cornwall Hotel, off Damers Road, close to the West Rail Station and County Hospital.

The site has been empty for most of the year since an oriental buffet restaurant which operated from the premises closed down.

The company will be

opening in early 2016 and say they will include local ciders and real ales among their selection.

Clarke's Windows will open their business shortly after the Christmas/New Year break.

Nearby a former convenience store in Maumbury Road has been taken over by a window, conservatory and glass company. The previous business lasted less than six months, including a run-in with the planning authorities over air conditioning units.

The building, directly

opposite Maumbury Rings, was previously used as a gas and fireplace showroom.

The Cornwall was put on the market in the summer of 2013 after an attempt to run it as a music pub failed to attract enough customers.

At the time local agents, Bartle Pye, had the premises on the mar-

ket as a going concern – offered for sale at £425,000 or for an annual rent of £30,000.

It opened as the New Ghurka in September 2013, but has been closed for almost a year.

The large pub, which also has a skittle alley, had suffered because of limited parking space on its forecourt and re-

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WESSEX Morris Men entertained Christmas shoppers in Dorchester's South Street on Saturday with their traditional dance. The group used the opportunity to collect for the Weldmar Hospice.

On Boxing Day, Saturday, December 26, they will be at the Giant Inn, Cerne Abbas, at noon, to dance and perform a mumming play, which features characters as a Turkish Knight, King George and Father Christmas.

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Mike Legg, 25, is a former Woodroffe School student and now amateur jockey with wins at Cheltenham, Ascot and Wincanton.

He has also worked with famous trainers Colin Tizzard and Harry Fry.

After leaving secondary school Mike studied sports and exercise at Portsmouth University.

● **HOW did you get in to horse racing?**

My family have always been involved with horses and I was very much brought up around horses and racing. My grandad and dad both trained and rode point to pointers. I have always ridden from an early age and my dad bought me a racehorse at 16 giving me my first rides in local point to points.

● **WHAT was it like riding your first winner?**

My first winner was in a point to point at Ottery St Mary riding one of my dad's horses. It's hard to describe how it felt, once you start riding in races all you ever want to do is ride that first winner. I was certainly on a high for a good few weeks after, it's a day I will never forget.

● **WHAT'S been your proudest moment so far?**

My proudest moment has to be riding my first winner around Cheltenham. It was on a horse called Handy Andy for Colin Tizzard. To ride around Cheltenham is one thing, but to walk back into the winner's enclosure at the home of racing was a big deal for me.

● **RIDING for racing legend Colin Tizzard, what was that like?**

I was at Colin's yard for three full seasons. Colin and his son Joe taught me everything I know about race riding and gave me my first ride and first winner under rules. Colin got my name on the map and provided me with plenty of nice winners and for that I will always be grateful to him.

● **WHAT'S it like working with Harry Fry, one of the sport's rising trainers?**

I have been based at Harry's yard since August. In that time I have learnt a huge amount, no stone is left unturned and that shows with the success he is having already this season. He is



very loyal to the lads working in his yard and has given me plenty of opportunities and winners. It is certainly a yard going places and I'm enjoying being part of the team.

● **WHO in horse racing do you most look up to?**

The one man I have always looked up to is the now retired - A.P. McCoy. What he achieved as a jockey will probably never be matched. As a young jockey he was the one person I watched

over and over again to try and learn as much as I could.

● **WHICH course is your favourite to ride?**

It has to be Cheltenham. Nowhere compares to riding in a chase around there, it gives you a real buzz! I had my first ride at the festival last year and the atmosphere was incredible. I have also been lucky enough to ride two winners at the track.

● **WHAT are your hopes for the future? Do you hope to turn pro?**

I have no intentions to turn professional. I am 26 in February, to me that's too old to be turning pro now. I am really enjoying being an amateur, I am able to ride under rules and still ride in the local point to points at the weekends. My aim is to keep my head down and ride as many winners as I can this season and hopefully be competitive in the amateur title.

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Plans for 190 new homes on prison site to go on display

AN exhibition is being planned for the New Year to show local people the plans for 190 homes on the former Dorchester Prison site.

City and Country has now submitted its planning application for the town centre jail.

It will retain the listed gateway which will provide a home for an exhibition about the history of the site – but some outbuildings and former prison houses just outside the gate, will be demolished.

The company has rejected pleas to include a percentage of “affordable” homes – pointing out that because of the size of many of the apartments they will be priced at the lower end of the local market.

Included in the development is space for commercial units facing onto North Square where terraced traditional-style houses are being planned to fit in with existing buildings.

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Almost 1,500 local people have visited exhibitions about the development and a series of meetings have been held with councillors and local organisations as City and Country worked up their plans.

Their proposal for the museum or interpretive space in the gatehouse was supported by 84 per cent of respondents during the latest stage of public consultation.

City and Country says the submitted masterplan has been shaped by the comments made at the exhibitions and the feedback in written representations to them.

Among the changes are a reduction in size of the northern block and more landscaping and open space.

Said the company's head of planning, Richard Winsborough: "We are dealing with a truly fascinating building and there's been a fantastic amount of interest in the future of this site."

"We would like to thank everybody who has taken the time to be involved with our consultation."

"At each stage of the consultation process we have refined the design of the proposals and believe these plans will create a vibrant and fitting development of which Dorchester will be proud."

West Dorset District Council will now examine the plans in detail with the application expected to be considered in about six to eight weeks time.

Headteacher retires after 22 years



PETER Farrington at the school's 20th anniversary celebrations in 2014

ONE of Dorset's longest serving head teachers has bowed out – after 22 years at Dorchester's Prince of Wales First School.

Peter Farrington was the first head of the school – by his own admission only intending to stay a few years, before moving on.

The school, which the Prince of Wales had a hand in the design of, was seen as ground-breaking for its inclusive policy for pupils with disabilities.

Mr Farrington has seen several Royal visits over the years – including the opening and more recently, in November 2014, when Prince Charles returned as the school celebrated its 20th anniversary.

He had laid the foundation stone in

November 1993 and officially opened it in March 1995, several months after the school was already active.

"I am glad to see that you are one of the few still here after 20 years," said the Prince to Mr Farrington at the time of the visit.

Mr Farrington went on to show the school to the Prince, including the roundhouses which pupils had built in the grounds.

Said Margaret Morrissey, who founded the first Parent Teacher Association: "He has educated five of my seven grandchildren; he's an excellent man, a good leader and role model and we will all miss him. Many parents and grandparents owe him so much, we wish him a long and happy retirement."

Class A drugs seized

POLICE have seized what they describe as a significant amount of Class A drugs during a raid at a house in London Close, Dorchester on Friday (December, 18th).

An 17-year-old and three older men from Dorchester were arrested.

Police say they acted after receiving information from local people who believed drugs were being dealt from the property.

Said Sergeant Ged Want: "We are targeting known drugs networks that are operating in Dorchester, across Dorset and all over the country."

"We were acting on information that was given to us by members of the community, and we carried out a Misuse of Drugs Act warrant on the address."

"As a result, four people have been arrested, a significant amount of Class A drugs were seized and the arrested persons are currently in police custody as our enquiries continue."

Ten other people have been arrested as part of the same police operation within the last month.

Sgt Want said the police welcome information from the public, which remain confidential and that they will continue to proactively target drugs networks.

Benches damaged

POLICE patrols have been increased on Dorchester's riverside walk after vandals attacked public benches in the area – including throwing at least one into the river.

Dorchester Town Council retrieved one bench, by John's Pond, and put it back in place.

Inspector Steve Marsh said that other benches which were also damaged included those dedicated to a family member who had died.

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Woman dies in crash

A 28-YEAR-old woman from Newton Abbot died after a two-car crash on the A35 between Dorchester and Bridport on Sunday evening.

Police are appealing for witnesses and anyone with information to come forward.

The accident happened at 6.33pm and involved a blue Renault Megane and a silver Toyota MR2, at the top of Kingston Hill.

A 49-year-old man and a 44-year-old woman sustained serious injuries and two 11-year-old children were slightly injured. All are from the Barnstaple area of Devon and were all taken to Dorset County Hospital for treatment.

Police shut the A35 westbound at the Monkey's Jump roundabout on the edge of Dorchester and eastbound at the Texaco round-

about in Bridport while emergency services deal with the incident and to allow collision investigators to examine the scene.

Police Sergeant Dave Stroud, of Dorset Police's Traffic Unit, said: "I am appealing to anyone who witnessed the collision or the manner of driving of either vehicle prior to the collision to please call Dorset Police."

"I would like to thank motorists for their patience during the road closure, which is necessary to allow us to establish what happened. While the closures are in place, I would urge motorists to please avoid the area and look for alternative routes."

Witnesses and anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 101, quoting incident number 20:312.



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Minister claims badger cull to eradicate TB is working

But protesters say there is 'no evidence'

MORE than 750 Badgers have been killed in Dorset since the cull began – according to Government figures.

But protesters still insist there is no evidence to link the animals with tuberculosis in cattle, the reason for the cull taking place.

Defra figures show 756 animals were killed in Dorset, 432 in Gloucestershire and 279 in Somerset.

Environment Secretary Liz Truss told the House of Commons: "Our strategy to eradicate bovine TB is working."

She said that the three badger control areas - Somerset, Gloucestershire and Dorset - all hit their targets this year.

"The chief vet is clear: this is delivering disease control benefits and it'll help us eradicate this terrible disease.

"I'm pleased to say more than half of the country is on track to be officially free of the disease

by the end of this parliament thanks to the strategy we put in place.

"And the chief veterinary officer is clear that licensing of future areas is needed to realise these disease control benefits, and I'm determined to follow through on that."

But protesters have said that there is no conclusive evidence that the cull has any effect.

Dorset Wildlife Trust has been vaccinating badgers on its nature reserves as an alternative method of control and continues to campaign against the cull.

Dominic Dyer from the Badger Trust said: "There is no evidence the killing of badgers is reducing the level of bovine TB in cattle.

"The claims by the NFU and pro-cull politicians that badger culling is delivering a significant reduction in bovine TB are looking increasingly bogus, and



■ DOMINIC Dyer speaking at a rally against the cull in Dorchester in May 2014

the exact opposite of the truth.

"Twenty million pounds of taxpayers' money has been spent killing thousands of badgers and yet cattle TB in Somerset is on the rise."

Nominate your first aid heroes

DORSET life savers and first aiders are being asked by St John Ambulance to step forward for their Everyday Heroes awards.

The awards celebrate inspiring stories of first aid heroism from the general public.

The organisation is asking the public to get in touch and tell them about friends, family members, colleagues, and even strangers who've saved lives or championed first aid.

Steve Hargreaves, regional director for St John Ambulance said: "Everyone has the ability to save a life and our Everyday Heroes awards give us a chance to celebrate those who are doing just that."

"We're on the lookout for anyone who has gone out of their way to help people through first aid – from life savers, to campaigners, teachers, and fundraisers.

"Each year we hear incredibly inspiring stories of ordinary people who have done extraordinary things.

"If you know someone who deserves recognition for their outstanding first aid achievements, nominate them for an Everyday Heroes award." Entries close on 5pm on Thursday, March 24th

and nominees will be invited to a star-studded ceremony in London, at The Grange St Pauls on September 7th.

To find out about the award categories and make a nomination visit www.sja.org.uk/everydayheroes

Schools to notify of closures online

Dorset County Council has set up a system to let parents know if a school has to close for any reason.

Schools can update their status online at www.dorsetforyou.com/closedservices/schools. This page lists all schools in rural Dorset.

The council has asked schools to update their status as soon as a decision to close is made and ideally by 6.30am.

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In memory of Colin

DORSET Freemasons have presented an instrument to Dorchester's Durnovaria Silver Band in memory of former Town Mayor and bandsman, Colin Lucas.

Mr Lucas, died in September 2013 at the age of 78.

He had also been chairman of the Old Hardyans and had served as a town, district and county councillor in addition to many years with the Durnovaria Silver Band where he had held a number of roles over the course of around 40 years involvement.

Mr Lucas was mayor of Dorchester in 1981 and 1984. He studied at Dorchester Grammar School from 1946 to 1950, going on to become the leading light of the Old Grammarians, which later became the Old Hardyans. He was also heavily involved in the Durnovaria Silver Band, the Casterbridge Singers, Dorchester Conservative Club, the YMCA and The Society of Dorset Men.

Mr Lucas was also a member of the local Freemasons Lodge

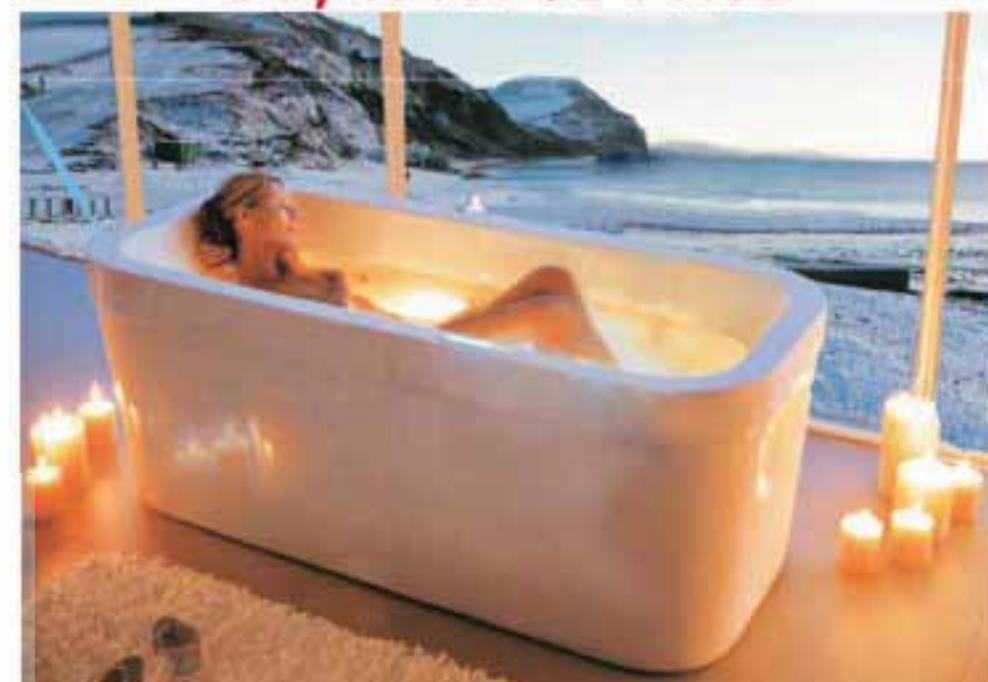
who, with the help of the county colleagues, paid for the new Baritone B Flat Horn for the Silver Band.

It was presented at the band hall, during a rehearsal night, by David Dunford to Band Chairman Colin Gannaway, watched by local Lodge members and Mrs Brenda Lucas.



DAVID Dunford (centre) presents the instrument to Durnovaria chairman Colin Gannaway watched by band members local Masons and Brenda Lucas

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Man arrested following collision

POLICE officers are appealing for witnesses and anyone with information to come forward following a serious collision on the A37 at Dorchester – with one man being arrested.

The collision occurred at around 6.27am on Wednesday, December 16th on the road between the Monkey's Jump and Weirs roundabouts involving a white Mercedes van and a silver Toyota Avensis.

The road was closed in both directions to allow collision investigators to examine the scene and re-opened at 11.30am.

Two people in the Toyota suffered serious injuries that are not believed to be life-threatening and one person from the van sustained minor injuries.

All three people were taken to

Dorset County Hospital for treatment.

Police Constable James Howes, of Dorset Police's Traffic Unit, said: "I am appealing to anyone who may have witnessed the incident or the manner of driving of either vehicle involved prior to the collision to contact me on 101."

"I would also like to thank motorists for their patience in relation to any delays the road closure may have caused to their journey."

A 28-year-old man from the Birmingham area was arrested on suspicion of driving offences and is currently assisting officers with their enquiries.

Witnesses and anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 101, quoting incident number 16:36.



DORCHESTER'S Mayor and Mayoress, Val and Robin Potter at the Amnesty stall

CHRISTMAS cards signed in Dorchester as part of an Amnesty International campaign are on their way to prisoners of conscious and others suffering injustice across the world.

Almost 140 cards were signed and £141 donated in contributions towards postage and others costs during the course of a morning in South Street.

"As the rain grew more insistent and the wind stronger (the stall was lifted bodily about a foot along the ground at one point, in spite of the newly-filled ballast bags) interest understandably tailed off," said Christine Tempest, Secretary of the Dorchester & District group of Amnesty International UK.

"The cards that we have posted will find their way to Greece, Burma/Myanmar, Mexico, Malaysia and Burkina Faso, taking with them the message that the plight of those suffering injustice and threats is not forgotten, and equally importantly giving notice to the authorities of those countries that the eyes of the outside world are open and taking notice.

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Hundreds of Santa's turn out to chase the pudding

ORGANISERS claim that Sunday's Chase the Pudding event on Weymouth beach was their best ever.

More than 250 runners dressed as Santa took part in the 5kilometre run to Greenhill and back – chasing a Christmas pudding.

The annual event raises money aid for a charity set up in memory of local student,

Will Mackaness, who died of a brain tumour in 2008.

Will's mum, Pam Govier, said the event had been "brilliant" and had its highest turnout ever.

She said: "So many people came down to watch as well, it was so well supported and had a great atmosphere. It was a great way to start Christmas."

The event, organised with the help of Weymouth and Portland Borough Council and Bustinskin, which runs local triathlons, is believed to have raised more than £3,000.

Weymouth's panto Dame and Mayor Councillor Christine James got the event underway after a warm-up session on the beach in front of the Pavilion.



■ LET the chase begin!



■ GOOD weather helped the Chase the Pudding event to a record turn-out

NEWS in brief ...**Zimbabwean pharmacist gives talk to Rotary Club**

DORCHESTER Rotarians have heard about life for a pharmacist in rural Zimbabwe.

Shamiso Zamba told Rotary club members that she has a round-trip of around 140 miles to collect supplies, a journey which needs to be undertaken every week.

She told her audience that survival income is about £2 a day and that people have to pay for their own medicines.

The average life expectancy in the country is 49 although many better educated and younger people move abroad to live and work.

Shamiso has been in the UK for a few weeks, funded and organised by the Commonwealth Professional Fellowship Scheme.

Celebrity chef opens business at Poundbury

ONE of Dorset's best-known chefs is hoping to open his own business at Poundbury.

Mat Follas wants to use a commercial ground floor building at 17 Buttermarket as a café/delicatessen and sandwich bar.

Town council planning committee chair Councillor Susie Hosford said there was some concern that units intended for commercial use at Poundbury were being changed to other uses but suggested that if the application was allowed it be limited to 9am to 5pm, for the sake of residents living in the area.

But Councillor Tim Harries said that allowing a later opening would help counter the criticism that nothing happened in Poundbury during the evening.



STANDING: Michel Hooper-Immins, Clive Dickinson, Graham Lush, Richard Cummins, Colin Squibb, Simon Frampton. **Seated:** Peter Foster, Colin Smith, Stuart Hargreaves, Barrie Allington. Photograph by Neil Gatehouse

'Schoolboys' gather 50 years on

TEN schoolboys who left Hardy's School 50-years-ago in 1965 were reunited at the Class of '58 reunion at the Colliton Club in Dorchester.

Reunions have been held before Christmas for several years, but this year's was particularly poignant as it was a half century since they all left school in 1965, having joined Hardy's Junior School together at Wollaston house in 1958.

"It's always a pleasure to meet up with other Old Hardyans,

but particularly with those in my year at school, the Class of '58," said one of the group, Michel Hooper-Immins.

For many years, three of the Class of '58 - Simon Frampton, John Sibley and Colin Smith met to celebrate their birthdays, which all fall in the first week of December.

"In recent years, we widened the invitation to include other contemporaries," said organiser Colin Smith from Weymouth.

"We meet at the Colliton

Club, where steward Neil Gatehouse, and his jovial staff do us proud, keeping the party well fed and watered with a full menu and a choice of six excellent real ales. Thank you Neil"

Old Hardyans President Peter Foster said it was notable that three of the club's senior officers are from the class of '58.

Michel Hooper-Immins is secretary of the Old Hardyans, and Godfrey Lancashire is now Chairman.

NEWS in brief ...**Town Crier entertains U3A**

DORCHESTER Town Crier, Alistair Chisholm added a seasonal flavour to the December meeting of Dorchester and District U3A.

He entertained the group with three readings, in a Dorset accent; from the book "Thomas Hardy's Christmas."

This was his first visit to Dorchester U3A for several years and Alistair was somewhat surprised to learn that there are nearly 600 members and 46 subjects to enjoy.

The meeting ended with the U3A choir who at the end of their programme invited the members to join with them in singing carols.

The next meeting will be held on January 4th at the Parish Hall, Culliford Road, which will be a Group Fayre from 10.30am - 12 noon, when the activities of the local organisation's 46 groups will be available to browse.

This meeting is open to the public and prospective members and offers an opportunity to talk to the Group Leaders and to tour the displays of many of our group activities.

For further details about the U3A see the website www.DorchesterU3A.org.uk.

School set to expand

THE Dorset Studio School, based at Kingston Maurward, is hoping to expand and start its own sixth form from September 2016.

The school, which has a broad academic and technical curriculum, opened in September 2014, currently has around a hundred year nine and ten pupils, but has space for 375.

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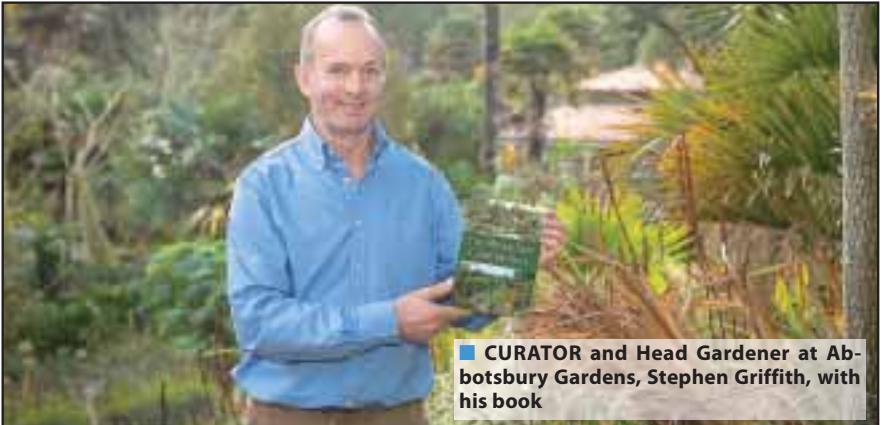
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CURATOR and Head Gardener at Abbotsbury Gardens, Stephen Griffith, with his book

Telling Abbotsbury Gardens' story

A NEW book marks the 250 years since Abbotsbury's Subtropical Gardens were first conceived by the first Countess of Ilchester as a kitchen garden for Abbotsbury Castle.

Curator and Head Gardener Stephen Griffith has written about the development and restoration of the award winning 18th century woodland valley garden.

"The Abbotsbury Gardens' Story" tells the story of a unique, sheltered micro-climate next to the Chesil Beach allowing thousands of choice and rare plants to thrive in what is seen by many as a "plantsman's garden".

Stephen, who has worked at Abbotsbury for 25 years, researched the history of the Gardens and the fascinating lives and times of the family which has owned them since 1765.

"I wanted to tell the Gardens' story, past and present, its influencers and its struggles.

"In trying to unravel the history I discovered all

sorts on interesting anecdotes, untold stories and connections with the present owner's ancestors.

"It is also very much a personal reflection of the challenges and changes over the years from the point of view of a Head Gardener. A good garden never stands still and no doubt there will be even more changes in future."

Mr Griffith masterminded the garden's renaissance following a great storm in 1990. It is divided into a series of zones, geographical or time-based such as the new Jurassic swamp.

Facilities include The Colonial Restaurant, gift shop and plant centre where many of the flowers grown in the garden can be purchased.

The Abbotsbury Gardens Story, by Stephen Griffith and with a foreword by Roy Lancaster, is available from Abbotsbury Subtropical Gardens online at www.abbotsbury-tourism.co.uk/gardens/ and selected outlets, from £9.99.

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Twinning boost for mayor's fund

THE Weymouth & Portland Holzwicke Twinning Society recently held its Christmas Dinner at the Weymouth Golf Club where the guests of honour were the Mayor, Councillor Christine James and Mayoress, Tricia Chorley.

During the evening society chairman, Fred Flack, said how much he was looking forward to 2016 when, in September, the German twin-

ners will be visiting Weymouth once again to celebrate 30 years of twinning with Holzwicke.

Entertainment for the evening was supplied by magician Mike Lathwell and music from John Hickman.

Pictured is Mayor, Christine James receiving a £50 cheque for the mayor's fund from twinning Chairman Fred Flack.



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Giving the gift of life

STAFF at Dorset County Hospital asked people to think about the gift of organ donation as they switched on their Christmas tree lights.

The hospital's organ donation team has sponsored a tree to highlight the importance of individuals discussing organ donation with their families.

The lights for the tree were donated by local firm Knighton Plumbing and Heating.

Dr Andrew Ball, Critical Care Consultant and Clinical Lead for Organ Donation, said: "We have sponsored a Christmas tree for the hospital in the South Wing courtyard to encourage everyone to consider their feelings about organ donation at this time of giving.

"Despite a doubling in the number of organs donated over the last years, people are dying every day whilst waiting for a transplant.

"To help us help them, we need you to discuss your wishes with your family and friends and to register these. Without this information it is often difficult for relatives to appreciate the choices their loved ones have made.

"Register your choice today - make a choice, make it known."

To find out more about how to register visit www.organdonation.nhs.uk



HOSPITAL staff erect a Christmas tree to highlight organ donation. Pictured, from left to right, are Shaun Gibbs and David Willis from the estates team, Specialist Nurse in Organ Donation Lucy Dames, Knighton Plumbing and Heating representatives Ellen Rawlings and Dudley Dorton, and Clinical Lead for Organ Donation Dr Andrew Ball

Christmas bin collections

Over the Christmas and New Year period, your usual rubbish, recycling and food waste collection days will be different. Check the table below for your revised collection days:

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|----------------------|------------------------|
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| Friday 25 Dec | Monday 28 Dec |
| Monday 28 Dec | Tuesday 29 Dec |
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| Wednesday 30 Dec | Thursday 31 Dec |
| Thursday 31 Dec | Saturday 2 Jan |
| Friday 1 Jan | Monday 4 Jan |
| Monday 4 Jan | Tuesday 5 Jan |
| Tuesday 5 Jan | Wednesday 6 Jan |
| Wednesday 6 Jan | Thursday 7 Jan |
| Thursday 7 Jan | Friday 8 Jan |
| Friday 8 Jan | Saturday 9 Jan |

Find out more about waste and recycling at Christmas:

dorsetforyou.com/recycle/christmas

CAB survey reports workers' struggles

HALF of the people who responded to a local Citizens' Advice Bureau survey said they find it difficult to survive on zero hour and casual contracts.

This caused difficulty in budgeting and claiming benefits and can lead to debt and health problems such as stress and anxiety.

A number of people were juggling several jobs but felt they could not turn down work because there was no security. They usually found they had no time left for family or leisure. Those who said they were happy with their work situation generally worked regular hours for one employer.

The survey was carried out by the Dorchester, Sherborne and District Citizens' Advice Bureau after it had become aware of the difficulties sometimes caused by the trend towards less security in the employment market.

The respondents worked in a range of different occupations and had different experiences but some common themes emerged – including trying to manage on low and/or fluctuating income. Half of those who replied said they struggled to live on their wages.

A summary of the responses showed that life was particularly difficult for those on zero hours or casual contracts, which meant they had no regular income.

One of the respondents, a man who is married with a partner who works and lives in his own house, which they are buying with a mortgage, works in care earning £25,000 per annum but said he had to do more than one job to make ends meet, that he rarely saw friends or socialised and that he works about 55-60 hours a week.

He commented: "Constantly trying to juggle several casual/zero hours jobs – usually too worried about losing work so don't turn down work resulting in long hours often seven days a week."

Others felt that they were discriminated against, or even bullied: 17 per cent of the respondents said that they had been discriminated against or bullied at work.

One respondent, a woman aged 50-59, reported that she did not have a contract of employment, that she wasn't paid for travel time, that her workplace was not family friendly, that she couldn't work as much as she would like to because of the availability of childcare, and that she had been both bullied and discriminated against at work.

Another respondent reported a situation where he felt he was always blamed for mistakes, as most of the employees at his place of work were close friends of the employer.

Residential home given 'good' rating

DORCHESTER'S Culliford House residential home has been rated as good in a Care Quality Council inspection.

The home, which houses 22 residents, is family-owned and run.

Inspectors praised the way

residents were involved in activities and took part in meetings about the running of the home.



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Carols in the gardens attracts huge crowd



By Trevor Bevins

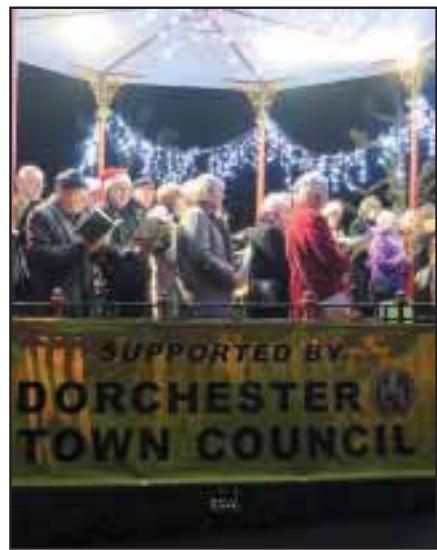
DORCHESTER'S Carols in the Borough Gardens attracted more than two hundred people last week.

The town council sponsored event, on Thursday, December 17th, enjoyed mild and dry weather which helped swell numbers.

Leading the singing was the Encore Singers, with music from Durnovaria Silver Band.

The event was attended by Mayor and Mayoress, Robin and Val Potter, together with other town councillors.

Refreshments were provided by the Friends of the Borough Gardens.



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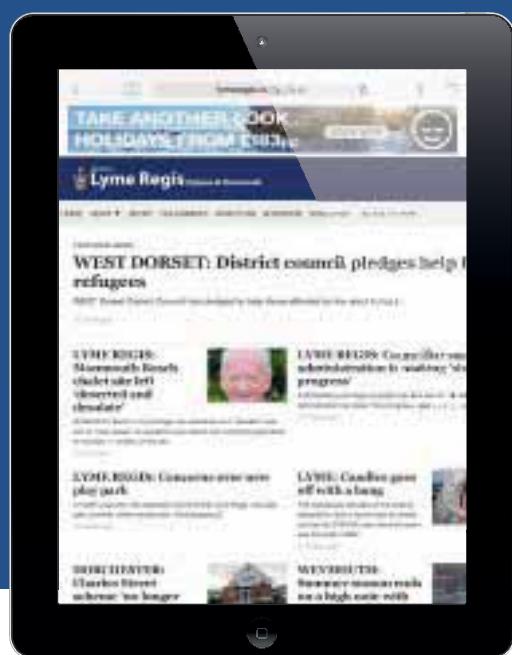
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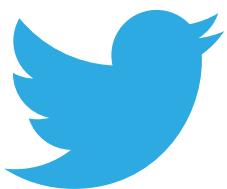
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TRANSMISSION

Your guide to local live music

upcoming gigs

Thursday 24 Dec

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT

Vinyl Monkeys 9.30pm

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS

Christmas Jumper

Party with Bug Tree

Swamp 4-7pm

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS

Tom Toomey 9pm

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**Wednesday 6 Jan**

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS

**Jim Almand** 9.30pm

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Saturday 9 Jan

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS

Real Deal 9pm

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**Crown Inn, BRIDPORT**

**Livewired** 9.30pm

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Saturday 9 Jan

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT

Midlife Crisis 9.30pm

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**Friday 15 Jan**

Arts Centre, BRIDPORT

**Jazz Café: Andy Williamson and Philip Clouts**

8pm. £10

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Saturday 16 Jan

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS

Roxy Magic: A night of Roxy Music and Bryan Ferry

Bar open 7pm, show 8pm. Full

£12 / Concessions £10.

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**Saturday 23 Jan**

Arts Centre, BRIDPORT

**The Upbeat Beatles**

8pm. £16 / £14

## ROXY MAGIC

*A night of Roxy Music and Bryan Ferry*

ROXY MAGIC are the UK's best and longest-running tribute to Roxy Music & Bryan Ferry. This band of experienced and talented musicians recreate the diverse music and imagery of the hugely influential Roxy Music and pop icon Bryan Ferry. All the hits are performed with panache to deliver an exciting and highly entertaining tribute.

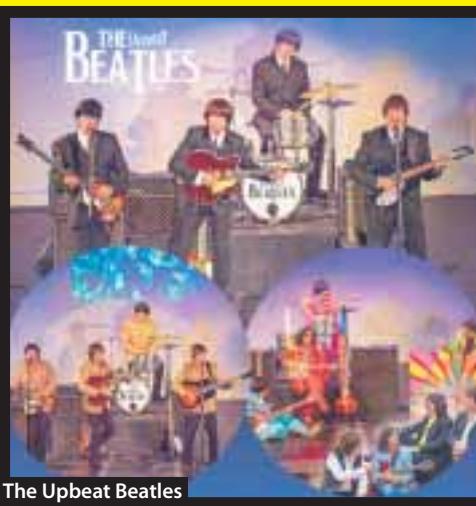
Singer Kevin Hackett bears an uncanny resemblance to Ferry both visually and vocally, and has honed a stage presence which has received wide praise from fans of the original.

Roxy Magic perform their set of best remembered Roxy Music hits totally live, believing it to be more dynamic than playing with the aid of backing tracks. Because of the unique range of Roxy Music and Bryan Ferry's music, from art rock to disco, 30s ballads to rock'n'roll and ultimately the smooth sophistication of Avalon, the set has a great deal to offer to a wide audience. Remember and enjoy 'Virginia Plain', 'Avalon', 'Dance Away', 'Street Life', 'Love Is The Drug', 'Angel Eyes', 'Let's Stick Together', along with a host of massive hits and proven live favourites such as 'Re-Make Re-Model', 'Ladytron', 'Both Ends Burning', and 'I f There Is Something' which featured in the Daniel Craig movie 'Flashbacks Of A Fool'.

Roxy Magic play at the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis on Saturday, January 16th. Doors and bar open 7pm, with the show from 8pm. Tickets are £12 or £10 (concessions), available online at [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com) or by calling the box office on 01297 442138.

*The Upbeat Beatles*

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The Upbeat Beatles

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The Upbeat Beatles play at Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, January 23rd at 8pm. Tickets are £16 adults, and £14 concessions, available from [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com) or by calling 01308 424204.

## WORLD CLASS MUSIC FROM WALES AND BEYOND

'ALAW' is Welsh for melody, and it is a love of melody that is at the heart of this outstanding trio. Drawing on a great wealth of musical experiences, Alaw arrive in Dorset this January to take their audiences on a musical journey, with a tune brought back from a tour in Bulgaria or collaboration in India; at the heart of their set is a passion for the old tunes of Wales.

From the elegant to the virtuoso, the three musicians play with an empathy that comes from many years of collaboration. Dylan Fowler has a developed a reputation as an international solo guitarist. Oliver Wilson-Dickson plays with, amongst others, The Devil's Violin & The Ian McMillan Orchestra. Described by R2 magazine as 'an expressive and exceptional fiddler' he also regularly collaborates with storyteller Daniel Morden, with whom he appeared for four consecutive years at the National Theatre. Jamie Smith is a folk musician and one of the UK's finest accordionists, fronting the international award-winning Celtic band Jamie Smith's Mabon.

Through Alaw, the talent of these three exceptional performers is united and they perform with a subtle interplay that is a joy to watch. From sublime slow airs to dazzling dance tunes and storming songs, Alaw promise an evening of joyful and life affirming music to start the new Artsreach season.

Alaw perform at Drimpton Village Hall on Friday, January 8th at 7.30pm - for tickets and more de-

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## See in the New Year with an 80s and 90s disco

**THE BEEHIVE** at Bridport Football Club will play host to a special 80s and 90s disco to see in the New Year.

Fancy dress is optional, and entry is by ticket only, and tickets are £5 each, with all proceeds going to Weldmar Hospice Trust.

The disco begins at 9pm on Thursday, December 31st, and runs until 1am.

## The Melody Makers

THE MELODY MAKERS, an innovative festive alternative to the traditional pantomime is coming to the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis, and Bridport Arts Centre over the Christmas period.

It's a magical, musical extravaganza set to charm the stockings off everyone in the family. The story is told using puppetry, with beautiful hand crafted puppets made by Sarah Dicks puppetry assistant on The Lion King, and live music and acting from performers Tessa Bide, Matt Huxley, Jean Bono and Megan Brooks.

The Melody Makers comes to the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis from Monday, December 21st until Thursday, December 24th nightly at 6pm. Tickets are £9, and concessions £7. A family ticket (2 adults and 2 concs, or 1 adult and 3 concs) £28. Tickets are available from [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com) or by calling 01297 442138.

The show then comes to Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, January 2nd at 7pm. Tickets are £8 adults, £6 children, and £25 family, available from [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com) or by calling 01308 424204.



### Walklate and Fuschi to play next blues night

MAT WALKLATE (Harmonica and Vocals) and Paolo Fuschi (Guitar and Vocals) play Classic 50s and 60s blues, R&B, and a little Ska, and bring their unique sound to Bridport's Electric Palace on Friday, January 8th.

This new Manchester blues project feature hot, driving harp, immaculate, searing guitar and soulful vocals.

Mat and Paolo recreate the best of the golden age of urban blues. Bassist Bo Lee and Drummer Adam Dawson will be joining Mat and Paolo for this very special show.

Mat Walklate and Paolo Fuschi perform the Electric Palace's next Blues Night on Friday, January 8th. Doors open 7pm, with music from 8pm.

Tickets are £10.50 in advance or £12 on the door, available online [seetickets.com](http://seetickets.com)

## Add a sprinkle of magic to your Christmas festivities with Ballet Theatre UK...

BALLET THEATRE UK returns to Dorchester Arts with their beautiful re-telling of Hans Christian Andersen's classic fairytale ballet, The Snow Queen on Wednesday 6th and Thursday, January 7th.

Now a Christmas tradition in Dorchester, Ballet Theatre UK's renowned company of international dancers, beautiful costumes and glittering stage will once again create a magnificent spectacle, all set to a glorious and magical score.

This season the company presents The Snow Queen, which follows the story of Gerda and her quest to find her friend Kay, whom the Snow Queen has placed under an evil spell. Gerda's fan-

tastic adventure takes her on a journey across the frozen north where she encounters a band of gypsies, enchanted reindeer and a mysterious and reclusive Lapland woman. Gerda is told by the mysterious woman to continue traveling north, where she will find Kay and the Snow Queen's Palace of Ice. Only Gerda's love for Kay can release him from the spell and break the Snow Queen's curse of eternal winter.

Ballet Theatre UK, founded by Artistic Director Christopher Moore has rapidly become one of the UK's most popular touring companies. An innovative classical dance company, with a bold and unique approach, it raises awareness of dance within the community by being accessible to people from all ages and walks of life, both nationally and internationally. Moore takes inspiration from an eclectic mix of classical dance, theatre, popular culture and literature which in turn allows him to further explore and develop the timeless classical ballets and to create new and innovative original productions.

The Snow Queen comes to Dorchester Arts and Dorchester Corn Exchange on Wednesday, January 6th at 7pm, and Thursday, January 7th, 5pm.

For more information and booking visit the website at the website [www.dorchester-arts.org.uk](http://www.dorchester-arts.org.uk) or call Dorchester Arts box office on 01305 266926.



## Fancy a chinwag with comedian Ed Byrne?

COMEDIAN Ed Byrne wings his way to Bridport Electric Palace on Thursday, January 14th with a new show: *Outside, Looking In*.

And there's a chance to win two pairs of tickets to see him and meet him for a chat before the performance. All you need to do is visit [electricpalace.org.uk/ed-byrne-chat](http://electricpalace.org.uk/ed-byrne-chat) and fill in your details. Two winners will be chosen at random and each will be able to bring a friend.

Ed's stand-up career began during his college years at Strathclyde University, Glasgow.

As student welfare officer he was often called on to MC events in the university and soon was being invited to perform at other third-level institutions around Scotland. It wasn't long before he'd quit his studies completely and started up a small comedy club in Glasgow. From there he moved to London, where he started all over again with open spots and short sets on the club circuit, honing his material and developing the curmudgeonly and nerdy persona we've all come to know.

During his twenty years in com-

edy, Ed has enjoyed huge critical and popular success in the UK and Ireland. He has performed hit tours, sold out many runs at the Edinburgh Fringe, had a successful two-week run in the West End and appeared on radio, television, the stage and the big screen.

Tickets cost £19.90 in advance from Bridport TIC and Bridport Electric Palace box office or £21 on the day. Tickets are also available online at [seetickets.com](http://seetickets.com)

Doors open at 7pm and the show starts at 8pm. Age guidance is 16+.

## Arts Centre's Comedy Café returns with Geoff Whiting, Tamar Broadbent and more

BANISH the January blues with the latest installment of the Comedy Café on Friday, January 8th at Bridport Arts Centre.

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# This week's new cinema



Snoopy and Charlie Brown: The Peanuts Movie

## SNOOPY AND CHARLIE BROWN: THE PEANUTS MOVIE <sup>U</sup>

SNOOPY embarks upon his greatest mission as he and his team take to the skies to pursue their arch-nemesis, while his best pal Charlie Brown begins his own epic quest back home to win the love of his life.

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A MILD-MANNERED radio executive strives to become the best stepdad to his wife's two children, but complications ensue when their freewheeling and freeloading real father arrives, forcing him to compete for the affection of the kids.

Stars Mark Wahlberg, Will Ferrell and Linda Cardellini.

## IN THE HEART OF THE SEA <sup>12A</sup>

A RECOUNTING of a whaling ship's sinking by a giant whale in 1820 that would inspire the great novel, Moby Dick.

Stars Chris Hemsworth, Cilian Murphy and Brendan Gleeson.

## #HORROR <sup>15</sup>

INSPIRED by actual events, a group of 12 year old girls face a night of horror when the compulsive addiction of an online social media game turns a moment of cyber bullying into a night of insanity.

Stars Stars Chloë Sevigny, Sadie Seelert and Haley Murphy.

## Cinema Listings

Fri, Dec 25<sup>th</sup> - Thu, Dec 31<sup>st</sup>

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# Don't just dance in your bedroom!

## Opportunity for Dorset's young, aspiring dancers

A NEW project is searching for dancers aged between 14 and 21 years who would like the chance to work with dance professionals and perform at some of our theatres in Dorset and the South West.

This opportunity is open to both males and females and anyone interested does not need a background of formal dance lessons. Anna Golding, Dance Producer at Activate Performing Arts, the arts charity behind the project said 'We are keen to attract creative young people who have a feel for music and movement, bags of energy and a real thirst to take on a new challenge. Activate's aim is making dance available for all'

If you think you fit the description or know of someone who does, then come and join this exciting new dance company. For more information or a chat about the project, please get in touch with Anna Golding: [anna@activateperformingarts.org.uk](mailto:anna@activateperformingarts.org.uk) or call Activate on 01305 260954

Rehearsals are scheduled for January 17th and 31st in Dorchester, and February 18th and 19th in Weymouth. The live performance happens on February 24th on the main stage, Octagon Theatre, Yeovil.



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**LYME REGIS:** The annual Christmas Art Fair showcases the latest works by members of Town Mill Arts, offering for sale at affordable prices paintings, drawings, prints, pottery, textiles, jewellery and books, Malthouse Gallery, The Town Mill, Mill Lane, Lyme Regis DT7 3PU. Open daily; 10.30am-4.30pm. Free admission. [www.townmillartsguild.com](http://www.townmillartsguild.com)

#### THURSDAY DECEMBER 31ST

**BRIDPORT:** 80s & 90s Disco at the Beehive, 9pm-1am. £5 admission (ROAR). Fancy dress optional. All proceeds to Wieldmar Hospicecare Trust. For more details call 07788 943220.

#### SATURDAY JANUARY 2ND

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Ceiliadhs' first dance of 2016 with "Abacus", a young band out of Exeter Uni's folk dance circuit, teamed with experienced caller Richard Mason who specialises in writing and calling some intriguing dances. At Church House (St Mary's) Hall, South Street, Bridport DT6 3NW. Bring and Share finger food supper, with some soft drinks provided; bring your own beer/wine and make a party of it! Doors open 7.15 for 7.30-11pm dance. Tickets on the door at £9.00, cheaper to buy in advance for £8 for "The Music Shop", South Street, "The Lime Tree" Deli, West Street, or book with Monty or Mecki on 01308 423 442, email [monty3dayslate@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:monty3dayslate@yahoo.co.uk). For more details visit [www.bridportceiliadhs.wordpress.com](http://www.bridportceiliadhs.wordpress.com)

#### SUNDAY JANUARY 3RD

**BRIDPORT:** International folk music and dance session at 12.30 – 2.30pm in The Ropemakers, West Street, Bridport DT6 3QP, featuring music from the Balkans, Greece and France. Regular sessions are held on the first Sunday of the month. Entry is free. All players are welcome (some sheet music can be distributed in advance if wished); dancers of any ability are invited, with walks-through for newcomers commencing at midday. The pub is open 12 – 3pm and serves excellent home-cooked lunches. Call Mecki on 01308 423 442 or email [mecki1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mecki1@yahoo.co.uk)

#### MONDAY JANUARY 4TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Folk Dance Club at 7.30-9.30 pm in the WI Hall, North Street, Bridport. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club, with guest and club callers, recorded music and occasional live bands. No partner or previous experience required. Membership available at £2 per year, giving entry at £2.50. Contact Jane on 01308 898 002 or Monty on 01308 423 442. Also on subsequent Mondays: 11th, 18th and 25th.

#### TUESDAY JANUARY 5TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society. Meeting 2-4pm at Woodmead Halls. Celia Olsson from Devon will show us how to achieve texture in watercolour and mixed media. All are welcome. Non-members admittance is £5. Contact Sheila on 01297 445464 for more details

#### FRIDAY JANUARY 22ND

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club. Jonathan Walker, Archive pictures of war photography from the Crimea to latest conflicts. At Woodmead Halls, Hill Road, 7.30pm.

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#### TUESDAY JANUARY 26TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society. Workshop 10am–1pm at Lyme Regis Football Club, Charmouth Road, Lyme Regis. A follow up to Stephen Foster's demonstration on a seascape in oil over acrylic, using a palette knife. Free on site parking. All are welcome. Please contact Sue Wells on 01297 444289 to register and for more information including suggested list of materials.

#### THURSDAY JANUARY 28TH

**BEAMINSTER:** Rajah Jarrah will be speaking to the One World Forum in the Strode Room, 7.30pm, about 'Sustainable International Development'. Visitors £4 includes tea/coffee/biscuits. Enquiries Peter 01308 458283

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This is the first of a two-stage process; the council will be seeking applications for funding up to £4,999 in January 2016

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SATURDAY 19th December at 9.23am set to be the most dangerous time on the road over the festive period, with the highest number taking to the road potentially over the drink drive limit after their Christmas party. More than a quarter will get behind the wheel before 10am.

More than two-thirds will pre-load with alcohol and a quarter will have more than six alcoholic drinks at their Christmas party. Almost one in three Brits (29.25%) have admitted to driving the morning after when they believed they may still be over the drink drive limit from the night before, according to alarming new study out today.

The research, commissioned by Honda (UK) and AlcoSense Personal Breathalysers, investigated attitudes towards drinking and driving over the festive period discovering that one in four (27.7%) Christmas party-goers predict that they will have six or more alcoholic drinks - with half of this group planning on knocking back eight or more - putting

them at real risk of being over the limit the following day. It also found almost two thirds (62.75%) intend to 'pre-load' with one or more drinks before arriving at the party. With such a big night planned by so many, perhaps unsurprisingly more than a third (38.35%) believe they could be over the drink-drive limit the morning after their Christmas party, yet more than one in four people (26.25%) aim to drive before 10am the following day.

Furthermore, despite being the most aware of the morning after drink drive risk (44.88%), the 25-34 year old age group are most likely to get behind the wheel before 9am the following morning. Worryingly, more than one in five (21.03%) admitting that they would do so, even if they suspected they were over the drink drive limit.

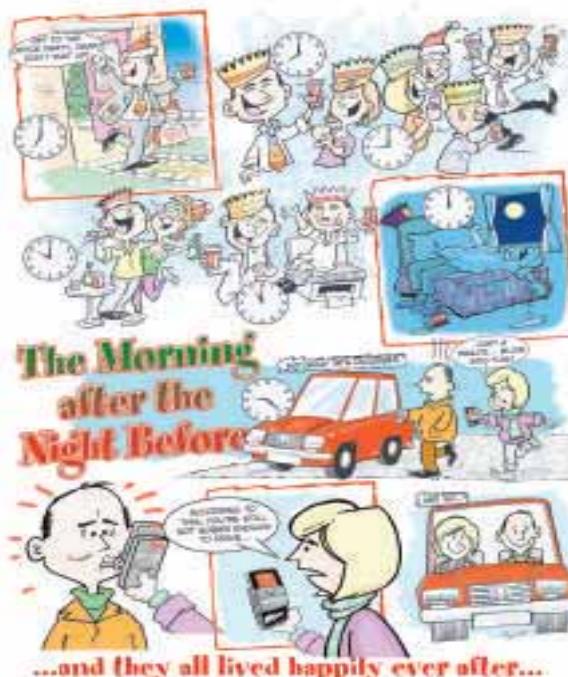
The research goes on to reveal Saturday December 19th at 9.23am to be the most dangerous time to be on the roads over the festive period. With the previous day set to be the most

popular for Christmas parties (6.3%), that Saturday will potentially see the highest number of drivers take to the roads over the legal drink drive limit from the night before.

The research was commissioned by Honda (UK) and AlcoSense Personal Breathalysers to mark the launch of a new and unique partnership between the two brands. The partnership aims to raise awareness of the dangers of driving the morning after drinking to ensure safer UK roads this Christmas and beyond, with AlcoSense Personal Breathalysers being given away free of charge in Honda's UK dealerships throughout the festive period.

Philip Crossman, Managing Director of Honda (UK) comments: "Christmas is all about having fun and while the vast majority of party-goers won't risk it the morning after, a small percentage will. And that's enough to make a difference. We simply want people to be safe on the roads this Christmas as many

just don't consider the effects of alcohol still in their system the morning after; our partnership with AlcoSense Personal Breathalysers sets out to raise awareness of the risk and make people think twice before getting behind the wheel, especially after their Christmas party." Hunter Abbott, Managing Director of AlcoSense Personal Breathalysers comments: "For the majority of people four pints or four large glasses of wine could be enough to still have alcohol in your system the morning after the night before. These statistics show there's still a long way to go with awareness about the risks of morning after drink driving and hopefully the partnership between Honda and AlcoSense will help bridge that gap. To claim your free AlcoSense breathalyser, just go to your local Honda dealership and ask for one - it's that simple. All we ask in return is that you use it the morning after your next big night."



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For 2016, the new LSA engine brings maximum power up from 431PS for the outgoing LS3 V8 to 536PS, and an increase in torque from 570Nm to 671Nm. First seen in the current VXR8 GTS launched last year, the LSA is essentially the same unit fitted to the Camaro ZL1, albeit in a slightly re-tuned form. An Eaton 4-lobe supercharger, stand-alone water-to-air charge-air cooling system and high-flow exhaust system with bi-modal exhaust function turn the Maloo into the fastest production 'ute' manufactured in Australia, and the fastest CV available in the UK.

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In addition to more power and standard equipment, the 2016 Maloo also benefits from a raft of exterior styling upgrades. The front end features a re-designed fascia incorporating a subtle splitter, while the addition of pitch-black bonnet air vents help deliver an even more aggressive look.

The pitch-black theme is carried through to the mirror-backs and wing-vents, with a new 20-inch, five-spoke alloy wheel design completing the styling package. Two new colours – Slipstream (vibrant blue) and Some Like it Hot (metallic red) – complement the Maloo's fresh new look.

Vauxhall's VXR8 GTS, the other model in Vauxhall's V8, rear-wheel-drive range, also has some subtle changes for 2016. While power remains unchanged at 585PS, and torque at 740Nm, the five-seat, four door saloon receives new bonnet vents, bumper grilles and side sills, as well as a new centre-stack arrangement inside the cabin and two new exterior colours. On the road price for the 2016 VXR8 is £55,500 with six-speed manual transmission and £57,200 with the six-speed auto, with oil cooler.



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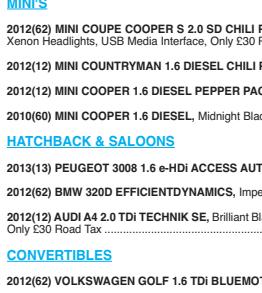
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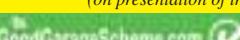
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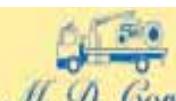


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# Chapter of disasters as Bees ship six

## Late penalty denies Magpies - Charmouth out on pens - Uplyme Res hit for seven

### DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE

**SWANAGE TOWN & H 6 BRIDPORT RES 0**  
**BRIDPORT** Reserves' problems started on Saturday morning when Chris Herbst, one of the back four on which so much of the Bees recent success has been built on had to withdraw because of illness.

With Sam Day also feeling under the weather but willing to play and no other recognised defenders in the squad, manager Shaun Annetts was forced to change his formation to play three at the back.

For the first 20 minutes the plan worked with both sides creating a couple of chances each, but a long ball down the middle saw Adam Stordy winging with a Swanage attacker.

Although the referee saw nothing wrong with the challenge, his assistant flagged and after consultation Stordy was red carded and a penalty awarded, which was converted by Graeme Rose.

With only two recognised defenders, Annetts reverted to a 4-4-1 formation and soon after good work by Josh Baker and Tom Blair gave Robin Jones a sight of goal, but he could not hit his shot away in the heavy conditions.

Then five minutes before the break, disaster struck the Bees again. Keeper Josh Hadley slipped as he went to take a goal kick and the ball ran kindly to the waiting Rose, who went on to complete a hat-trick, who fired it into the net to double the Swans advantage.

Two minutes after the break the hosts added a third with a header from a free kick on the angle of the penalty area.

The Swans who are in a rich vein of form of late having won their previous six league games, went for the jugular and made it four when a through ball saw Luke King bring down a player just inside the box.

Unfortunately the referee took King's verbal frustration to be aimed at him, and he was also dismissed to leave Bridport with just nine men.

Chris Woods, who bagged a brace, scored from the resultant penalty.

Annetts swapped out his two subs to bring on fresh legs, with the side now boasting a back four without recognised defenders, and for the next 30 minutes they defended stoutly to restrict Swanage to only two more goals including one from Paul Best.

A frustrated Annetts said: "I must commend the nine players that saw the game out against who worked their socks off against a very confident Swanage side."

"I must say I didn't see anything wrong with Adam Stordy's challenge, and neither did the ref to be fair, and up until then it was even-steven. Luke King's remarks were in frustration and not aimed at the referee, but he realises better to keep his frustration bottled up."

"It is disappointing after our good form of late, but there were several elements that didn't help us on the day."

### PERRY STREET LEAGUE

RESULTS - December 19th

JOHN FOWLER CUP R1

### HALSTOCK 7 UPLYME RESERVES 1

A WONDER goal from first team goalkeeper Joe Cleere - reminiscent of David Platt's over the shoulder volley against Belgium in Italia '90, was all that Uplyme Reserves had to show from their trip north to Halstock.

With the hosts' new ground having teething problems on the drainage front, the match was switched to East Coker.

But the eventual scoreline fails to do justice to a spirited display by the young Swallows.

"The lads gave it their full effort for the whole 90 minutes and chased down every ball - it was brilliant to see and a lesson for our first team players perhaps!" said Uplyme chairman Andy Cleere.

Ben Brister (2), Jack Tavenor (2), Perry Whitmarsh - the pick of the goals; a stunning 35-yard free-kick, Ian Parker and debutant Danny Baker following his transfer from Hinton, netted for the hosts.

Halstock secretary Mark Crabb, pressed into service between the sticks, said: "It was a good game, played in the right spirit but we were just a bit too strong physically for Uplyme."

Isaac Rodin was chosen as the visitors' MoM however chairman Cleere praised the whole team: "I would say three or four of this team could break into the first team very soon."

### JOHN FOWLER CUP R2

#### ILMINSTER TOWN A 3 CHARMOUTH 3 (Ilminster won 6-5 on pens)

CHARMOUTH'S interest in this season's John Fowler Cup ended when they were knocked out on penalties by Ilminster Town A at the Recreation Ground.

Things were looking good for the Robins at half-time when they led 2-0.

They still had a two-goal cushion at 3-1 with 20 minutes of normal time remaining. But the Blues battled back to force extra time when the teams couldn't be split.

The hosts came out on top in the spot kick shoot-out with Ed Boot sky- ing his effort high over the bar and Matt Tipping hitting the post.

Danny Rendall (2, including a superb free-kick) and Jake Reeve - direct from a corner - netted for Charmouth with Tom Hutchings,

Ryan Seddon and Steve Redwood on target for the eventual winners.

### DRIMPTON RES 5 NETHERBURY RES 1

NETHERBURY Reserves were knocked out of the John Fowler cup at the Quarter Final stage.

With a weakened team and in terrible conditions, the visitors actually started really well, and had the best of the first quarter of the match minutes going down the slope.

They had several chances to take the lead and only the post denied Alex Goodrick while Charlie Morgan fired narrowly wide.

But the hosts team resisted the initial pressure and opened the scoring with their first shot on target. Manager Sayers was filling in between the sticks and perhaps should have saved it.

Adam Sorrel was then denied an equaliser by a superb point blank

save, but the home keeper went from hero to zero as he spilled a Goodrick shot that trickled over the line.

Drimpton made it 2-1 in the opening five minutes of the second half and never looked back.

The Ambers huffed and puffed, but failed to make any progress going up the slope, and Drimpton took control when Steve Symonds deflected a squared cross past the keeper for 3-1.

Keeper James Sayers made a good double save, but could do nothing about the next breakaway goal that was squared across the box and rolled into an empty net.

The final goal came from some poor marking from a corner and a free header in the six-yard box was prodded in at the far post to round off the scoring.

Manager Sayers commented: "That was a tough game. We are really short on numbers, but hopefully we will get some players back and kick on again in the new year."

(Josh Betts (2), Simon Denslow (2) and Matt Isaacs shared the Drimpton goals.

### Revised Semi-final draw:

Fivehead or Halstock v Dowlish & Donyatt or Perry Street Reserves, Drimpton Res v Ilminster Town A.

### PREMIER

#### CREWKERNE TOWN 4 LYME BANTAMS 3

LYME Regis Bantams returned home empty-handed from their relegation tussle with old foes Crewkerne Town having taken the lead and missing a golden chance to lead 2-0.

As early as the third minute the Seasiders could, and should, have taken the lead. A clear handball in the area led to referee Grahame Rose pointing to the penalty spot. But Pete Peacock scuffed his effort wide and the hosts had a reprieve.

However, the striker atoned soon after when he scrambled home the opener from close range.

But, despite being on top, some really slack defending gifted the Tigers three goals in a 10-minute spell with Callum Hooper and Elliot Calvert adding to an own goal.

Lyme pulled one back just before the interval when midfielder Alfie Jaques bundled the ball home.

A clumsy foul by Wallace Blackmore saw referee Rose award his second spot-kick of the match soon after the turnaround, but this was skied well over the crossbar.

The Seasiders equalised on the hour when Steve Batey's clever pass was met on the volley by Jaques who thundered the ball home.

But the winner came from debutant George Gillman on a counter attack 15 minutes from time.

Lyme felt they had a strong claim for a second penalty when the ball was punched off the line by a defender, but referee Rose said no.

A disappointed Bantams manager Rob Larcombe said: "We spent 60 per cent of the game in the final third of the pitch, but our final pass was awful more often than not."

**Seasiders:** Jim Larcombe, Tom Wood (Robbie Prior 81), Wallace Blackmore, Will Baines, Shane How (Guy Cossins

45), Steve Batey, Alfie Jaques, Adam Caddy, Sam Bevis, Pete Peacock (Cam Fowler 59), Will Mowbray. Subs used: Unused sub; Rob Larcombe.

### OTHER RESULTS

**JACK VENN CUP - round one**  
 Thorcombe Reserves 1 (M.Whiteley) Merritt Dynamos 6 (M.Calverley 3, L.Fisher 2, L.Roper), Winsham Utd Reserves 3 (B.Smith, T.Thorne, W.Lawrence) Hinton St George 1 (R.Jewell).

### DIVISION TWO

Kingsbury Episcopi 0 Farway Utd Reserves 4 (F.Sousa, T.Olive, L.Rogers, K.Murphy).

◆ NEXT Monday's (December 28th) Perry Street & District League **Coronation Cup Final** has a lot to live up to as PERRY STREET and SHEPTON BEAUCHAMP locks horns with silverware at stake for the second time this season.

The pair clashed back in October in the Chard Hospital Cup Final under the floodlights at Chard Town's Zembard Lane ground.

On that occasion a decent sized crowd saw Street hold the initiative as they led through a double from Man-of-the-Match Dan Collins.

But the 'Old Monsters' bared their teeth and battled back to force extra time with strikes from Kris Hastings and a Ben Pitman penalty.

And Aggie Smith's team clinched the win in the dying embers of the extra half-hour when George Pugson curled home a stunning shot from the corner of the penalty area.

Shepton are the current holders of the Cup having come from behind to beat Combe Reserves 6-3 in last season's final at Millwey Rise.

A win on Saturday will take them to just one behind record holders Lyme Regis' tally of nine.

The 'Mothers' will have other ideas as they look to get their name on the 63-year-old trophy for just the third time - the last occasion being back in 1970-71 when they defeated Drimpton 2-0.

### YOUTH FOOTBALL

#### Promising start for Lyme u10

LYME Regis U10s finished their 2015 fixtures with two away wins against Millwey Rise.

The first match against Falcons ended 6-0 with goals from MOTM Otis Travill (4), Ollie Wren and Max Collins.

Really good team spirit showed by all the players who, when 6-0 up, spent the rest of the match looking to set George Adams up for his first goal, which came very close!

Keeper Adam Rowe kept another clean sheet helped by excellent defending from Bradley Lewis and George Gibbs.

The second match against Eagles was a hard fought 3-0 victory against a really good team that defeated the young Seasiders 7-0 on the first day of the season - a testament to how much the team have improved and manager Phill Pritchard's coaching.

Scorers in the second match were MOTM Ollie Wren (2) and Otis Travill with Taylor Pritchard, Max Collins, Alex Campion and Joe Stewart all outstanding and some really important saves from keeper Fred Morel.

The team are still looking for a couple of new players, boys or girls from school year 4 or 5 - please call Phill on 07948 532868.

## Dorchester Snooker

**RESULTS:** Colliton XQ2015 3 Colliton Hopefuls 5, Trinity M 6 WDC Whipping Boys 0, Trinity Goodums 4 Purbeck Potters 4, Colliton XQ2015 2 WD Club A 4, WDC Whipping Boys 4 Colliton XQ2015, Trinity Goodums 4 Colliton XQ2015 3.

**Leading breaks:** M Beale 41, 35; S Rhone 35; G Haddow 35; C Matthews 30. (Season's best: 55 Evan Wellman WDC A).

| Table week 10     | Pld | Pts |
|-------------------|-----|-----|
| Trinity M         | 8   | 37  |
| Purbeck Potters   | 9   | 34  |
| Trinity Goodums   | 8   | 33  |
| W Dorset Club A   | 6   | 29  |
| Trinity Express   | 8   | 27  |
| WDC YYMFDT        | 6   | 25  |
| Colliton XQ2015   | 7   | 23  |
| WDC Whipping B    | 9   | 20  |
| Colliton Hopefuls | 7   | 17  |

**Team Handicap KO Cup Round Two:** WDC YYMFDT 4 WDC Whipping Boys 1, Trinity Goodums 4 Colliton XQ2015 0, Colliton Hopefuls 0 Trinity Express 4, Purbeck Potters 3 Trinity M 4.

**Semi-finals:** Trinity Goodums v Trinity M (Feb 3rd), WDC YYMFDT v Trinity Express (Feb 4th).

## Lyme Darts

| Table                                                                                   | Pld | Pts |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| Roudon Club                                                                             | 8   | 16  |
| Nags Head A                                                                             | 9   | 15  |
| Nags Z                                                                                  | 8   | 13  |
| Rock Point                                                                              | 8   | 12  |
| Janners                                                                                 | 10  | 10  |
| Four Play                                                                               | 9   | 10  |
| Talbot Arms                                                                             | 10  | 7   |
| Cobb Arms                                                                               | 10  | 6   |
| Hunters Lodge                                                                           | 7   | 6   |
| Royal Standard                                                                          | 7   | 5   |
| Four's Company                                                                          | 9   | 3   |
| Half an Octopus                                                                         | 9   | 1   |
| <b>180s leaders:</b> R.Cross & A.Reid, M.Barnett, D.Herbert, C.Higgs, T.Prowse (all 2). |     |     |

## Lyme Cribbage

**Results - December 14th:** Axminster Inn 4 Old Inn Kilm 1, Stepps 4 Royal Oak 1, Lamb Swans 2 Nags Head 3, Beer Club 1 Talbot Arms 4, Gerrard Arms 2 Axminster Con Club 3, Ship Inn 4 New Inn Kilm 1.

**Beer League:** Axminster Inn 2 Old Inn Kilm 1, Stepps 0 Royal Oak 3, Lamb Swans 1 Nags Head 2, Beer Club 1 Talbot Arms 2, Gerrard Arms 1 Axminster Con Club 2, Ship Inn 1 New Inn Kilm 2.

| League table   | Pld | Pts |
|----------------|-----|-----|
| Gerrard Arms   | 13  | 41  |
| Stepps         | 13  | 37  |
| New Inn Kilm A | 14  | 37  |
| Nags Head      | 14  | 36  |
| Lamb Swans     | 13  | 36  |
| Royal Oak      | 14  | 36  |
| Axminster Cons | 13  | 34  |
| Beer Club      | 14  | 34  |
| Ship Inn       | 12  | 33  |
| Old Inn Kilm   | 13  | 30  |
| New Inn Kilm B | 13  | 26  |
| Axminster Inn  | 12  | 25  |
| Talbot Arms    | 14  | 25  |

## Award for Charlton Down CC

WHEN the going gets tough, the tough get going, and so it proved when Charlton Down looking to win Division Five of the Dorset Funeral Plan Cricket League, won all their matches in August to ultimately take the title and win promotion.

As a result they were awarded the August Team of the Month Award at the League's AGM recently.

Captain Pete Tucker was presented with the trophy by Peter Douch from the sponsors who also provided individual medals for the players and a bottle of bubbly.

Every month through the summer the team that has impressed the most, wins the award.

Pete Tucker said: "Apart from myself and one other player our team are all very young. They are enthusiastic and learning fast and we are now looking forward to the 2016 season in Division Four."

Peter Douch said: "For a club that only formed in 2003 they have done remarkably well. Last season they established a young squad and had a brilliant last month, winning all their games with maximum points and taking the title. We wish them all the best for next season."



◆ **GREAT RUN:** Pete Tucker (left) receives the August award from Peter Douch of sponsors Dorset Funeral Plan

## Time to wax that willow

MARTINSTOWN Cricket Club have announced details of their winter indoor training programme ahead of next season. Sessions will start mid-January for different age groups across a number of venues in West Dorset, as the club seek to build upon last season's unprecedented success.

The club's Under 11 sides finished first and second and were also cup winners. The U13s also won their league and were cup finalists, whilst the other sides also performed well in their leagues.

In all over 100 children attended outdoor sessions at Martinstown during the season, learning to play the game and most importantly have fun.

Youth Coordinator Lee House said: "While 2015 was a great season for the club, we have to continually improve and this is where the indoor sessions make a real difference.

"This year we are running an academy and also have installed new grass tracks dedicated to youth cricket.

"We are one club and our youngsters play a vital role in our development from youth to our First XI, competing in the Dorset Premier League.

"Sessions are open to old



◆ **TRAINING FOR SUCCESS:** The Martinstown U11 Mavericks who had a great season

and new members. They are a great place to develop technique and have fun.

"All sessions are run by qualified coaches and as a club we keep the cost low to encourage people into the sport.

"We are keen to start offering girls cricket"

The sessions are as follows:

**U9s** (max. 12 players) @ Martinstown Village Hall, Martinstown.

**Sunday January 17th to March 20th** (5pm to 8pm). Excludes half term.

**Softball cricket** for beginners or players not confident with a hard ball.

**U10 - 12s** (max. 14 players) @ Weymouth School Sports Hall, Weymouth

**Thursday January 7th to March 24th** (5pm to 6pm). Excludes half term.

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For school Years 5-7 U13 - 15s (max. 14 players) @ Thomas Hardy Leisure Centre, Dorchester

**Sunday, January 17th to March 20th** (7pm to 8pm). Excludes half term.

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## Alley Skittles Lyme Regis

**Men's Division One;** Skippy's Six 305 (+BL) Marksmen 330, Tornados 322 Young Guns 334 (BL Drawn), Anthill Mob 307 Wreckers 303 (+BL), Rousdon Rebels 341 (+BL) No Hoppers 372. (+BL) = Beer Leg winner

**Men's Division Two** Cawston Cup; Trappers beat British Legion.

**Mens Div One** Pld Pts BL Marksmen ..... 8 12 6 No Hoppers ..... 7 12 4 Young Guns ..... 8 10 14 Wreckers ..... 8 10 10 Rousdon Rebels ..... 8 10 8 Anthill Mob ..... 8 6 10 Clueless ..... 7 4 6 Tornadoes ..... 8 4 5 Skippy's Six ..... 8 2 7

## Bridport

CUP Fixtures for week beginning Monday 4th January.

**Losers Cup C&D (R2)** Monday, January 4th; Alleycat v Strawpeedoes, Brandy Snaps v Whisky Chasers.

Tuesday, January 5th; Pinbashers v Groundhogs, Alcoholics v Mean Machine.

Wednesday, January 6th; L.H.S. v Aussies Lot.

Thursday, January 7th; Featherbeds v Survivors, Yo Yo's v Pioneers. Friday, January 8th; Stingers v Hidden Taint.

## Mens Pairs (R2)

Monday, January 4th; WEST DORSET CLUB — B Newman & T Mears; S Pitcher & A Cauldwell; J Symes & M Hooper; C Willcox & N Willcox; Z Cauldwell & M Kershaw; R Gay & M Phillips; H Rathbone & S Welsford; B Chapple & M Barnes; M Green & M Chivers.

Tuesday, January 5th; ILCHESTER ARMS — D Fox & P Cross; D Cooper & R Pincombe; D Gudge & M Gudge; N Gurd & M Huxter; S Prior & L McErlan; B Churchill & E Williams; P Johnson & M Gurd; S Gale & L Farnham.

## Wednesday, January 6th

BRADPOLE CLUB — S Creed & C Hopkins; S Challis & P Tuck; M Powell & S Lee; D Cowburn & G Hiatt; G Brooks & T Luter; A Pauiley & R Frampton; M Symonds & J Cook; T Cleal & A Way.

LODERS ARMS — B Seadon & C Taylor; C Langdon & F Pomeroy; L Dare & C Barnes; N Pye & A Huxter; H Mills & M Horton; K Groves & R Norman; D Langridge & A Peach; F Parsons & G Parsons.

## Bridport Crib

**Bridport** Pld Pts BL Durbyfield ..... 11 89 17 Crown Inn B ..... 11 88 21 Crown Inn A ..... 10 86 14 Oddfellows ..... 11 82 17 Anchor Inn ..... 11 80 11 Ilchester Arms ..... 11 79 13 Hope & Anchor ..... 10 78 18 George WBay ..... 10 74 19 Quarterdeck A ..... 11 64 14

## Nostalgia trip brings good win

Wood South East 2 fixture.

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This shook Chard who until that point were marginally the better side and they pressed forward for an equaliser, again putting WD's defence under pressure, which again held strong.

They continued their onslaught after the break, but such was the

lead towards halftime following Julian May's aerial pass to Rob Coombes wide on the left. He drove into the D before unselfishly laying the ball off to Ollie Gargrave. His first effort was saved, but Coombes fired home the rebound.

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visitors defending that Drew remained unused.

West Dorset sealed the points with a second ten minutes from time. Kiwi Richard Wilson skipped down the left flank before finding Gargrave inside the D, who was fouled.

A quickly executed short corner saw Coombes fire May who fired high past the keeper's head.

Chard never looked like really worrying their visitors in the final minutes and remain fourth whilst West Dorset A move up two places to fifth on goal difference.

## Open day

MOONFLEET 2000 Indoor Bowls Club are holding an open day at their Knightsdale Road, Weymouth home

from 10am to 4pm on Saturday, **January 9th**.

Club spokesman Mike Gale said: "Come and join us and try Indoor Bowls for free, no is experience necessary. All bowls and shoes are supplied, no need to book, just turn up.

"For anyone interested, courses by fully qualified coaches are to follow.

For more information please ring Mike Gale on 01305 759106

## Bridport

## Beaminster too strong

every run.

The returning openers continued where they had left off and, in a display of fine attacking batting, propelled their score on to a challenging 195-3 off their allotted overs.

In reply Bere Regis scored 20 off the first five balls as they looked to attack from the start.

However, looking to up the tempo still further Tom Padgett (12) was run out.

With this loss Regis struggled to keep up with the run rate and Adam Moss (2-0-6-2) in partnership with Will Moss (2-0-6-1) they fell further behind as their innings reached the half way point with the score on 56-3.

At one Bridport's Jason Martin who was matched against Adam Scott, and right from the start it was Martin who stamped his authority on the game in a superb display of squash shots to all corners of the court.

It was to Scott's immense credit that at times he had Martin making unforced errors but the Bridport captain stuck to his task to record a 9-4, 9-6, 9-3 victory.

Ollie Duquemin and Riversmeet's

## Wentzell turns the tables

### Bridport 19 1st Riversmeet 2nd 9

TO play squash at first team level, supreme fitness plays an important part and this was apparent in a match where players on both sides battled away with series of long stamina strapping rallies throughout their matches writes Roger Lewis.

This victory shows that Bridport can mix it with the big boys in this deserved victory over second placed Riversmeet 2nds.

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Charlie Campbell Winter was very much a battle of attrition as both players would not give an inch.

Consequently the shots varied from tight boast, drop shots in abundance coupled with long stamina sapping rallies.

This contest was to last over an hour and right through the standard of play did not drop from a very high level, with fitness the deciding factor in Duquemin's favour 9-7, 1-9, 9-5, 2-9 9-5.

Dan Wentzell at three for Bridport was involved in a real tussle against the no nonsense Stuart Belben; indeed it was Belben who at the start called the tune, and it was his hard hitting display that put him into a two nil lead.

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In the end it was Neale's mastering of the cross court shot which became the difference as he scraped through 10-8, 9-6, 4-9, 8-10, 9-7. Bridport's Andrew Macillary started off well playing simple squash against Jo Cook relying on Cook to make errors which occurred on many occasions to give Macillary a 2-0 lead. However Cook gradually changed his game, his squash became error free and the confidence saw him turn defeat into a 4-9, 6-9, 9-2, 9-7 victory. Nick Neale and Riversmeet's Martin Hayward Cox became a real tussle with both players demonstrating a cat and mouse attitude which led to some very interesting squash shots from all angles. Neale just took the first two games but Cox fought back to level the scores, setting up an exciting finale which did not disappoint.

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## INSIDE: Festive sport round-up

# Late penalty denies Magpies welcome win

Dorchester Town 1 Chippenham Town 1  
Evo-Stik Premier – att; 369

A PENALTY a minute from the end of normal time denied Dorchester Town three points against high riding Chippenham Town at The Avenue on Saturday.

After a goalless first half the Magpies took the lead on 68 minutes when they were awarded their own penalty scored by Charlie Davis which resulted in Bluebirds half-time substitute Matt Jones been handed a straight red card by referee Robert Dabbs from Weymouth.

A man to the good, it looked like Dorchester would get back to winning ways after their disappointing defeat at Biggleswade Town the week before, but second placed Chippenham, looking to salvage a point at least to keep on leaders Poole Town's heels swarmed forward.

Their experienced trio of strikers, Alan Griffin, and former Newport County captain Alan Sandell and Ollie Taylor, the former Wycombe Wanderers player forced

manager Mark Jermyn to move emergency striker Nathan Walker back to his normal central defensive role to help contain them.

It appeared to have worked. However in the 89th minute, Oakley Hanger got on the wrong side of Taylor just inside the left side of the penalty area and brought him down, and Sandell sent keeper Alan Walker-Harris to beat, dragged his shot wide.

Ayunga was unlucky at the other end when after trying to bring a high ball under control, he didn't get enough loft on his effort to clear Kauppinen.

Bluebirds Luke Ballinger was lucky not to have been sent off having previously been cautioned for a cynical foul on Ayunga, when he left his foot in when fouling Neil Martin.

Guthrie and Ferguson continued to menace the home defence, and after the Ferguson flicked a header from Guthrie just over, they combined in another neat move which saw Guthrie fire just over for 30-yards.

Matt Smith had a glorious chance to put Chippenham ahead two minutes into the

second half when he was put through on goal by a superb Chris Allen pass, but he blazed over the toop from 10 yards.

Just after the hour the Magpies went close when Walker got up at the far post to head Martin's cross goalward.

A combination of Kauppinen and the crossbar saw his effort drop down, but Davis' attempted acrobatics went just over.

The Magpies goal came following when Walker neatly turned and played Ayunga's pass into Davis' path who was tripped by Jones as he jinked past him. After referee Dabbs had booked and then red carded Jones for abusive language, Davis confidently struck home the spot kick.

A man to the good, Dorchester appeared to be heading for three points until the late drama.

Even then Dorchester might have grabbed a winner in the second minute of added time after sub Liam Sayers was pulled back by Ferguson just outside the box. Captain Jake Smeeton's initial shot

was blocked as was his follow up, and when Martin's shot from that rebound flew over the top the final whistle was blown.

Whilst disappointed at conceding a late penalty Jermyn was happy with a point.

"I'm not too disappointed at only taking a point from the side who are second in the league. I think other teams now realise that Dorchester is a hard place to come and that the tide is turning."

News that Bradley Tarbuck will be sidelined for 6-8 weeks following due to a cruciate ligament injury picked up in a freak accident at home, and that lack of budget means that Ashley Nicholls brief return to The Avenue is now over and will not be returning, has left Jermyn's squad light of numbers, although Portsmouth have extended Liam Sayers loan until the end of the season.

"You have to consider that they had three experienced strikers on at the end. However I am pleased with the progress we are making and that we will be okay."

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